



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Timothy E. Mason

Serial No.: 10/017,971

Filed: December 14, 2001

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
CONTROLLING SOFTWARE
CONFIGURATION IN A
CONVERTIBLE SELF-
CHECKOUT STATION

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Examiner: Ted T. Vo

Atty. Dkt. No.: 9753 (NCR)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 4, 2006

Dear Sir:

This is a reply to the final Office Action mailed January 4, 2006, in this application. Please enter the claim amendments and reconsider this application.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this reply.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this reply.

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NCR Corporation Docket No. 9753.00

In re application of: MASON, T.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

FOR	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Present	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	31	-	20	11 X	\$ 50 =	\$ 550
Independent Claims	4	-	3	1 X	\$ 200 =	\$ 200
Total additional fee for this amendment ---->						\$ 750

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate.

Please charge all fees to Deposit Account No. 14 0225 of NCR Corporation (the assignee of the present application). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully,

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